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Storms Provide Ample Snow For Local Resort Area

Precipitation Is Nearing Normal Following Storms

Although precipitation in the Truckee area was .64 of an inch below normal on December 1, it is believed by observers that the storms since that time have more than brought the total up to normal for this date.

The U. S. Forest Service here reports that the 16 inches of snow this month added 1.75 inches of precipitation to the 3.14 inches recorded up to December 1, when the normal is 3.78 inches.

Normal precipitation for this month is 4.48 inches.

The wet, slushy snow started falling last Thursday and continued throughout that night, causing damage locally as a number of television antennas collapsed in the wind and heavy snow. Traffic was slowed and chains over the Donner Pass were required. A few vehicles were stalled but no major delay was encountered by motorists.

A second storm moved in Sunday but was of more or less mild proportions.

The new storms were heralded with delight by the resort owners and ski enthusiasts as the pack of 30 inches on Donner Summit gave assurance that there will be ample for the forthcoming holidays and no doubt for the balance of the season.

State Route 89 along the west shore of Lake Tahoe has been closed between Bliss State Park and Richardsons. This section will probably not be reopened until next spring and motorists will be forced to circle the lake on the Nevada side to reach points south of Emerald Bay.

There were 16 inches of snow at Tahoe City this week and the temperatures there as well as here have been low enough to prevent any degree of melting. In Truckee the mercury dropped to 10 degrees on Tuesday morning.

PROGRAM PLANNED FOR PTA MEETING

The Truckee elementary school Parents and Teachers Association will meet Monday, December 14th at 8 P. M., the meeting of the executive board convening at 7:15 at the school. Mrs. Robert Leamon will preside.

The kindergarten class and the first grade taught by Miss Patricia Meddaugh and Mrs. Lawrence Croxen, will present a short program which will be followed by the showing of slides on Greece with Mrs. Edward Trask narrating. Rev. Sidney Winston is scheduled to present a Christmas scene.

Mesdames Nace Firpo, John Finnegan, and Alex Ayala will serve refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Mother Of Truckee Man Dies In Oakland

Funeral services were held at Grass Valley Monday morning for Mrs. Henrietta B. Hooper, 87, mother of Alvah Hooper of Truckee. Interment followed in the family plot of the Greenwood cemetery. The deceased was the wife of T. J. Hooper of Oakland and is survived by another son, Carl of San Franciso and a daughter, Mrs. Reita Crase of Oakland. There are ten grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

ENGLEHARTS ARE FETED AT PARTY

The wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William Englehart was celebrated at a party given by the couple's son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. William Englehart, Jr., Friday, December 4. A number of friends joined in wishing them continued happiness. Refreshments were served and cards occupied the evening..

TRUCKEE COUPLE MARRIED AT RENO

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quilici, both well known here, where she is employed at the Tourist Liquor Store and he at Fontana's Laundry, were married at Reno Saturday and have returned to make their home here. Their friends will join in wishing them happiness.

The bride is the former Lucille Davis.

OSBURN GETS LOOK AT NEW BUICK CARS

Clarence Osburn, local Buick and GMC dealer, returned this week from Los Angeles where he attended the preview showing of the new 1954 Buicks. He was accompanied by his son, Kenny and the trip was made by airplane.

Osburn said the new Buick is a revelation and he is anxious to get one here for local display.

Telephone Manager Is Elected To Head Truckee Chamber

Howard J. Newsham, Truckee district manager for the Pacific Telephone Company, was elected president of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce at the reorganization meeting held Tuesday night at Donner Lake Lodge. He will replace Cliff Ellis, who has headed the booster organization through a successful year.

Orval Vaughan, in charge of the Truckee state quarantine station, was elected to the vice presidency, succeeding Rex Reid, now on the board of directors.

Mrs. George Kamp was retained as chamber secretary.

Other directors chosen included Charles Osburn, C. R. Heller, Walter Barrett, M. E. Brown, E. K. Stice, H. G. Loehr, Reginald Smart, Dan Horman, W. M. Englehart, Jr., Cliff Ellis, Dr. George Hahn and Vaughan.

Details for the annual Christmas party on December 24th were discussed. The program will start with movies for the children at Capitol Hall at 2:30 P.M. and Santa Claus will arrive promptly at 3:30 at the big Christmas tree to be installed in the plaza.

There gifts will be presented to all the children and a musical program will be offered. Everyone is invited to attend and various organizations in the area are contributing to the affair.

Hoop Schedule Is Announced By TNT Team For Season

Following is the schedule for the Tahoe Truckee Wolverines basketball team for the current season:

December 11, Manogue at Manogue.
Jan. 8: Douglas at Douglas
Jan. 9: Carson City at Carson City
Jan. 15: Stewart at Stewart
Jan. 16: *Yerrington at Truckee
Jan. 22: *Sparks at Sparks
Jan. 23: *Manogue at Truckee
Jan. 29: *Carson City at Truckee
Jan. 30: *Hawthorne at Hawthorne
Feb. 5: *Douglas at Truckee
Feb. 6: *Stewart at Truckee
Feb. 12: *Lovelock at Lovelock
Feb. 13: *Fallon at Truckee
Feb. 19: *Reno at Reno
Feb. 20: Downieville at Truckee
Feb. 26: Fernley at Fernley

*Denotes Western-Nevada Conference games.

Mar. 4-6: Western-Nevada Zone Tournament at Reno.

Mar. 18-20 Nevada State Tournament at Reno.

JACK WOLERT IS ROTARY SPEAKER

Jack Wolert, past president, delivered an outstanding talk to the Truckee Rotary Club at the meeting held Monday evening at Donner Lake Lodge. In combining color slides with his narration, Wolert provided one of the best programs of the season.

It was announced that the club will be moving into the winter quarters at Brown's Cafe next Monday. That will be the regular place of meeting until next May, at which time the club will return to Donner Lake Lodge.

Johnny Richards presided at the meeting and Charles Osburn was program chairman. Henry Magill of Portola was a visiting Rotarian and Dr. Oliver Scow of Truckee was a guest.

Cubs To Aid Needy With Holiday Package

Cub Dens 1, 2, 3 and 4 have contributed cans of food for a needy, deserving family to be turned over to Rev. Sidney Winston for delivery.

The Cubs will pick a name of another member at their December 15 meetings, insuring each boy a gift on the tree which will be the center of attraction at the December 22 pack meeting.

PARTY DELAYED AS HOST STRICKEN

The scheduled party for the past and present employes of the local district of the Tahoe National Forest, sponsored by former Truckee Ranger H. I. Snider, was called off Saturday when Snider became ill with pneumonia. It was not immediately learned when the affair will be rescheduled.

Correll Is Held To High Court On Escape Count

Evidence Places Local Man At Scene Of Attempt To Break Jail

Ferman Correll, 50, since 1949 employed in this area as a dishwasher, accused of smuggling hack saw blades and other "items useful fo escape" to convicted murderers Jack Santos and Emmet Perkins in the Nevada County jail, has been bound over to the superior court following a preliminary before Judge George Gildersleeve in Nevada City.

Correll was represented in court by Attorney Harold Berliner. Leo Vander Lans from the attorney general's office is representing the state.

Glen Jones, a Grass Valley hardware store operator said Correll "strongly resembled" a man who purchased the alleged escape items from him.

Correll, who had been released from the jail in which Santos and Perkins are held, on November 10, returned that night and asked for lodging, telling the jailer he had a job coming up but was temporarily without funds. During the preliminary, Fred Angelini, part owner of a hotel, said Correll paid him $5 that same day for a week's rent on a room. Correll kept the room until December 12, he said and then asked for and was given a refund.

Evidence introduced indicated it was possible for the defendant to have secreted the blades and other escape items on his person when he was admitted to the jail the night of November 10.

Correll was arrested by Constable N. F. Dolley near here two weeks ago when it was learned he was being sought for attempting to aid the escape which was stopped after bars in the jail had been partially sawed through.

LOCAL GIRLS AT MEETING IN CHICO

The Tahoe-Truckee Girls Athletic Association was represented at a basketball clinic held on December 5 at Chico State College. Discussions on changes made in rules during the past year featured the opening session and two teams composed on physical education students at the college played an exhibition game.

The Tahoe- Truckee team played the Trinity High School team and won. The girls representing the local school were Jeanne Rood, Adonna Goodpasture, Mary Ann Tonini, Ruth Osburn, Loma Sorensen and Judy O'Neill.

300 GREET SANTA AT THEATER PARTY

Approximately 300 children met Santa Claus at the Donner Theater Tuesday afternoon and were deligh ted with the program of motion pictures and singing arranged by Manager and Mrs. Vern Shattuck, in cooperation with the Sacramento Bee.

All children in the region from babies to and including the sixth graders participated in the event. Santa Claus met the youngsters at the door and presented each with a gift.

Wedding Date—

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rockholm observed their wedding date the first week in December.

Birthday Noted—

Miss Shari Reynolds observed her birthdate on December 5th.

Anniversary Time—

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rose celebrated their wedding anniversary on Monday, December 7th.

Home from Chico—

Mr. and Mrs. George Waters returned last week from Chico where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Spratt, their son in law and daughter.

Birthdate Observed—

Mrs. Jack Ellis observed her birthdate on December 3.

Kecks have Girl—

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keck of Colfax are parents of a daughter born on November 30.

Boehm in Valley—

Forest Ranger E. E. Boehm returned Monday from a visit in the valley.

SUNBEAMS

By WALTER M. BARRETT

This newspaper is 100 per cent in favor of a proposal—still only in the rumor stage—that the powers of the inspectors at the state's department of agriculture quarintine stations be expanded to give them policing authority. We must agree that at the present time, and with limited personnel, the inspectors are accomplishing a good job, but this work can be expanded to a point where the stations will provide a service vitally necessary to the welfare of the state as a whole. Not only would the plan, if it materializes, prove nearly self supporting as a revenue collecting agency for the board of equalization and the department of motor vehicles obtaining fees and penalties, but more important the men could prove valuable in the apprehension of criminals, stop car thieves and delinquents and serve a hundred purposes that might just as well be handled through the central border stations. Political pressure several years ago caused abandonment of the old border checking stations and we are sure that automobile clubs and no doubt other organizations will vigorously oppose the project but from a standpoint of practical and thorough efficiency and a source of considerable revenue, we can think of nothing better.

Only 12 more shopping days before Christmas. Take a little time off right now and complete your list. Local stocks are more than ample and you will find in Truckee stores everything you will require to make this a complete Christmas. Make this a Trade in Truckee Christmas.

CHRISTMAS PLANS MADE AT MEET OF TAHOE CLUB

TAHOE CITY — The Women's Club of Tahoe held their regular monthly meeting Thursday, December 3rd, at the Pfeiffer House There were 28 present, including three guests. A short busines meeting was held at which time the Christmas plans were discussed. The sum of $25 was given to the Rotary Club for the children's Christmas party and the women are to fix the gift boxes of cookies and candies for the Veterans' Hospital at Reno, these boxes to be ready by December 18th.

After the business meeting, canasta was played. The next session will be held at the Pfeiffer House on January 7th.

SEVERAL INJURED IN AUTO MISHAPS

Mrs. Nancy Coupey, 21, of South Carolina received a fractured pelvis in an automobile accident this week and is under treatment at the Tahoe Forest Hospital.

In another accident on December 6th, Louis Zimmerman and his wife Sylvia, of Oakland were hurt and taken to the hospital as was the driver of the car, Henry Popper. Dr. George Hahn attended the injured.

Margaret Johnson, 17, Alameda, had her foot injured in an accident which also occurred December 6. Her mother, Mrs. Lorine Johnson was checked for injuries at the same time. No report of these accident were available at the office of the patrol Wednesday.

FORMER NORDEN MAN SUCCUMBS

Private services were held in Sacramento Wednesday for John C. Lyons, 76, retired Norden postmaster and merchant. Cremation followed the rites.

Lyon died Monday in his home at Sacramento where he had lived for many years. From 1930 until 1940 he was postmaster at Norden. He is survived by several children.

Rev. Sidney Winston and daughter Susan will visit the Shrine Hospital in San Francisco on December 10.

District Studies Petition Asking Water at Donner

Attorney Asked to Give Legal Opinion On Request

The governing board of the Truckee Public Utility District Tuesday gave consideration to a petition from the residents of the Donner Lake area asking that the district take the necessary steps to provide that area with an adequate water system.

The petition, signed by 28 residents of the community, was submitted to T. L. Chamberlain, attorney for the utility district, for legal advice. After receiving that the local board will again consider the request.

The matter of a suitable water service for the Donner area has long been under study and only last fall an incorporation was started to provide the system. This latter idea will not be furthered in event the utility district decides in favor of the petition.

The project is sponsored by the Donner Lake Improvement Association.

TRUCKEE LODGE OF MASONS TO SEAT OFFICERS SATURDAY

Truckee Lodge No. 200, F. and A. M. will hold its 85th installation of officers for the ensuing year, Saturday evening, December 12 at 8 o'clock in the Masonic temple at Truckee.

Worshipful Ballard White, Jr., inspector of the 120th District, will be the installing officer. Don Bowman, P. M., will be master of ceremonies.

All Masons, members of the Order of the Eastern Star, family and friends are cordially invited.

SIERRA SUN WILL PUBLISH GREETINGS

The Sierra Sun will publish its annual Christmas edition on December 24th, featuring greeting messages from the many firms, organizations, professional people and local and county officials.

While most of these people have been contacted, there may be those who have not yet ordered their ad and if so they may do so now by calling the Sierra Sun before December 18th.

PYTHIAN SISTERS WILL HOLD PARTY

Pythian Sisters of Temple No. 79, will hold a Christmas party following their regular meeting this evening. A gift, not to exceed 50c in value will be taken by each member for the tree.

Children Invited To Enter Slogan Contest

All local school children are eligible to enter the safety slogan contest sponsored by the Wyethia Club, which will close the last day of school before the Christmas recess.

Lynn Kishbaugh, principal of the Truckee elementary school and the teachers have the rules of the contests for those wishing to enter.

The slogan must be brief and original, to be used in the safety drive. The names of the winners will be published in the Sierra Sun when the judges have made their choice and awards will be made after the opening of school, Mrs. Fred Pedley, chairman of the clubs safety committee, announced.

Church Is Planning For Christmas Party

Truckee Community Methodist Church is planning its Christmas program for the evening of December 20th in the church.

Temperence Sunday was observed last Sunday with a total of eight signing committments to total abstinance in both churches.

Sound motion pictures will be presented Saturday evening at 7.

Church school at 10 a.m. Sunday and Eugene Risden will give the morning service at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Sidney Winston will preach.

Vacation In Schools Of District Slated To Start December 19th

The annual Christmas vacation of Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District will begin on Saturday, December 19, and school will reconvene on Monday, January 4, 1954.

The following dates have been set for the Christmas programs in the various schools of the district:

Tahoe-Truckee High School: December 16, 8 P.M. This will also be the meeting time of the High School PTA.

Donner Trail School: December 17, 8 P. M. The Donner Community Club will hold its meeting at this time.

Kings Beach School: December 17, 8 P. M. This is also the meeting date of the Kings Beach PTA.

Tahoe Lake School: December 17, 8 P. M.

WOLVERINES WIN, LOSE, IN GAMES DURING WEEKEND

The Tahoe-Truckee High School Wolverines met the South Tahoe High School in the Varsity and JV basketball match here Friday and won both games.

The Varsity game was most exciting for the South Tahoeans were leading at half time 18 to 9 and the final score showed the Wolverines winner by a 47 to 45 score.

The Junior Varsity game was won by the locals 50 to 9. The high scorers were Stan Rasmussen, Doug Wilson and Clayton Spining. Each scored nine points.

Saturday night the Wolverines traveled to Loyalton for a return match and were outscored in both games. The JV succumbed to the Loyalton team 56 to 38 while the Tahoe-Truckee Varsity lost by a 49 to 27 score.

SKIER BREAK ANKLE, SECOND HURTS BACK

Miss Anne Eldridge of Daly City and Tahoe, suffered a broken ankle while skiing on December 5th. On the same day, Paul McCollister of Atherton was treated for a severe back injury received while skiing.

Dr. George Hahn treated both at the Tahoe Forest Hospital.

Donald Brown Feted At Birthday Dinner

Donald Brown was 11 years old on December 4 and was entertained at a dinner at Brown's Cafe. The group later attended a show at Donner Theater. Among the gifts was a complete Boy Scout outfit from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Brown.

COACHES DISCUSS SPORTS AT LIONS

The coaches at the Tahoe-Truckee High School, Jim Brehler and Con Briner, spoke before the local Lions Club last night on the basketball program and the general athletic aim of the school. They also showed basketball films of some of the outstanding games of 1950.

Dr. Sidney Kase, formerly of Antioch, now practicing here and Henry McGill and Fred Fifield of Portola were guests. C. R. Heller presided and Earl Stice was the program chairman.

A committee was chosen to investigate and determine if there are any needy families in this area that might be helped during the holiday season.

RENO MEN HURT IN HIRSCHDALE CRASH

Harry Brody and John Driscoll, both well known in Reno, were injured Friday when the Cadillac car they were driving, registered to Elizabeth Burge, 1405 W. Laurel Hollywood, crashed into rocks beside the highway at Hirschdale and was wrecked.

The two men were picked up by a passing motorist and taken to the Washoe Medical Center for treatment. Both are said to have had major injuries.

The car was removed to Truckee where it was held by the authorities pending an investigation of the mishap.

State Patrolman William Gautsche investigated the accident and no citations have been issued.

Athletic Club Is Organized Here, Officers Named

Daven Morey Heads New Sport Sponsoring Group

Daven Morey of the state's quarantine station here, has been elected president of the newly formed Truckee Athletic Club, a group designed Thursday night to sponsor and maintain all inter-city competitive sports including baseball, basketball and skiing.

Despite a heavy storm, a large turnout responded to the invitation and gave assurance that the club's formation will start with enthusiasm. Jack Ellis, Shell distributor here, was elected vice president, Phil Foster was chosen as secretary and Heslin Cardinal is the treasurer. John Rau was named as business manager for the club.

Directors, who will each have charge of one of the various sports, will be named at a second meeting to be held at the high school gym on December 17th.

Al Wakefield, one of the originators of the project, will head the basketball committee and another practice for his team is slated for tonight.

The basketball season opens on Thursday, January 7th, with the Roseville team of the Placer- Nevada League here for the contest at 8 P. M. There are 20 games slated, Wakefield said, and 10 of them will be played at Truckee. All home games will be played on Thursday nights.

Members of the Truckee Athletic Club will be admitted to the local games free of charge. Anyone who desires to join an dassist in furthering this important movement in the community may contact any of the officers of the club.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM FOR HIGH SCHOOL TO BE DECEMBER 16

The high school Christmas program is to be held December 16th starting at 8 P.M. The potluck dinner which had been planned for earlier in the evening has been postponed until a later date. The Christmas program will be presented by the Dramatics Club and the High School Chorus under the direction of Joseph Mustol.

The California Scholarship Federation organization is planning a pie and cake sale auction at this program to aid their funds. The public is invited to attend this Christmas program which will be held in the high school cafeteria.

Sunshine Girls Plan For Christmas Party

Plans were outlined at the December 2 meeting of the Donner Council No. 13, Pythian Sunshine Girls, for the Christmas party they will hold on December 16th. The girls also perfected their drills which they will present on December 11th for the local lodges of the Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters.

Mary Marquis presided and Donna Songer officiated as royal advisor in the absence of Pearl Heller who attended a Pythian convention at Napa.

The Sunshine Girls will hold a cake sale on December 19th in the Truckee Mercantile store.

LOCAL WOMAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Mrs. A. B. Polyanich had a near brush with death during her recent Hawaiian vacation when a canoe in which she was seated was upset by a swell caused by a passing surf rider. She was rescued by others in her boat in the mishap which occurred off Waikiki Beach.

She went back the next day for a canoe ride of nearby tropical points of interst.

Foster Named to be Department Secretary

Phil Foster was appointed to serve as secretary of the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department at the meeting held at Cozzi's Cafe this week. Foster replaces Doug Barrett who has left for Sacramento to reside.

The appointment was made by Chief N. F. Dolley who presided at the meeting during which films on fire training were presented. There were 24 firemen at the meeting.

Eastern Star Will Adjourn For Winter

Truckee Chapter No. 116, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its last meeting of the year Tuesday, December 15. Mrs. Dorothy King, worthy matron, announced that it will be a pre-Christmas party with each member requested to bring a gift for the tree. The meeting will convene at 8 P.M. The lodge will close until March 2, for the winter recess.

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Truckee Public Utility District
Meets 2nd and last Tuesday each month at 2:30 p.m. in the district office.

Truckee Sanitary District
Meets 1st Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in Joe Mattos residence.

Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District
Meets 2nd Tuesday each month at 8 p.m. at the high school.

Tahoe Forest Hospital District
Meets 2nd Friday each month at 7:30 p.m. at the hospital.

Truckee Fire District
Meets 1st Tuesday each month at 10 a.m. in R. N. Little's office.

Truckee Cemetery District
Meets at call of Chairman W. M. Englehart.

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Tahoe Items

by Jeannette Mitchell

Barely a dozen days left before our Christmas Day! The snow is hanging on all the trees, promising a white Christmas if the mercury remains at its present low.

On Saturday, December 5th, Mrs. George Mortimer entertained at a luncheon held at the Pfeiffer House. Those attending were Mrs. Dennis Sach, Mrs. Bert Anderson, Mrs. Imon Mitchell, Mrs. Howard Guth and Mrs. Phil Geier. The ladies enjoyed a few rounds of canasta. Mrs. Mortimer informed the ladies that she and her husband are leaving the Lake in a few days. They had previously planned on staying in for the winter.

Mrs. Dennis Sach held a party honoring the George Mortimers at a farewell fete, the affair ending in a joyous evening of singing and dancing following a delightful dinner at the Pfeiffer House. Those present to wish the Mortimers Godsspeed were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Imon Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Guth, Harry Mead, Mrs. Louise Geier and Mrs. Sach.

The Imon Mitchells and son, Dale enjoyed a wonderful visit with Mr. Mitchell's aunt, Mrs. Viola Johnston of Reno. The Johnstons feted the Mitchells with a dinner at one of the hotels in Reno where they enjoyed a floor show. Accompanying the Mitchells to Reno were the Bert Andersons and Mrs. Dennis Sach.

Well folks, that just about winds up the doings down Pineland way, so let's see what some of the other folks are doing:

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Record and Mayton and Mr. and Mrs. Don Mawhinnie of Tahoe Pines are still chuckling over their joyous Thanksgiving dinner given by Mrs. Ruth Hoffman of Tahoe City. Hear Ben Jones really had them "in the aisles!"

Hope you folks are not forgetting that our Marie Henry is the Placer County director of the tubercular seal drive. Marie has extra seals for anyone wishing to purchase more.

Sarah Hunter and hubby, Bill, have left Lake Forest for the winter and will take up their usual address at Lodi. Many of the populace here will surely miss the Hunters. We've had lots of fun and much good eating at their Bacchi's Inn.

Bob and Helen Beaverson were up for a few days. They are in San Raphael for the winter and mity homesick for Tahoe. They enjoyed a trip to Reno while up. Ruth Hatch accompanied them to Reno.

Mrs. Yvonne Bechdolt was reluctant to say goodbye to her dear friend, Mrs. Bert Delgardo who left November 30 for her home at Los Angeles after a 10-day visit with the Bechdolts.

Bud Scott, I hear, made a flying trip up to finish closing up some boats and has left again.

Was happy I could say goodbye personally to Rose Boyiaredes who has left for the warmer climate of Arizona for the winters.

Last word has it that Mrs. C. B. Pedersen is doing fine after her ill-fated duck hunt. We wish her the best.

Boy, isn't that a beautiful red Oldsmobile our girl friend, Yvonne Bechdolt is driving these days. It was a birthday present and no one could be more deserving.

Will be happy to see our Harry Johanson back. He is recovering after a minor operation at the University of California Hospital in San Francisco. Yours for a speedy recovery, Harry.

W. A. Simmonds is doing nicely at an Auburn hospital and we wish him well. Mother Simmonds is resting after her day and night vigil caring for Dad.

Rusty Rustad of Granlibakken has been dexteriously plowing his road that leads right into the ski area and boasts of a parking space for some 150 cars, 50 to 100 yards from the foot of the ski slopes. Hear Rusty is putting in a new electric tow, making three tows available, one slope and tow being exclusively for the school.

Monica and Ralph Sears just left for avisit to Monica's uncle. Wish them a speedy return and we miss them lots.

The Sunday school held through the American Sunday School Union a non-denominational group, whose aim is to have every rural child in America attending Sunday school and a bible in every home, enjoyed its first session last Sunday at the Tahoe City Community Center. Rev. Witmore of Reno officiated. It is hoped for even a larger attendance as the Sundays arrive. Mrs. Laura Wilson of Lake Forest was the pianist. Mrs. Evie Waters will act as superintendent for the coming Sunday.

For some delightful organ music drop in at Skookum Chuck of an evening and you will enjoy Mildred Brown's renditions of classic and poular songs.

And now, my dear friends, will end this for now. It leaves yours truly joining the ranks of many others who are frantically making every minute count before our big Christmas celebration. The air is already joyous with Christmas songs. Happiness to you all—

Jeannette Mitchell

REPORTS ON MEET

Miss Nedra Ray reported on her recent trip to Sacramento where she attended the social action seminar, at a dinner given Saturday evening by Rev. and Mrs. Sidney Winston. Other guests included Rosalee Kaspian, Janet and Mrs. William Allen.

ARE YOU A SUNSCRIBER?

GOVERNOR WARNS AIDES AGAINST ACCEPTING GIFTS

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) Governor Goodwin J. Knight has instructed top brass officials of his administration to "scrupulously" avoid accepting Christmas gifts this year "from anyone even remotely doing business with the state."

The governor declared he did not want to "taint" his administration with possible misunderstandings which might arise from acceptance of such gifts.

"I hope you don't think I'm putting too much emphasis on it," Knight told his officers at a monthly meeting of the governor's council.

He added he was making the announcement of policy publicly, rather than by memorandum or "sly implication", in order that everyone, including would-be givers, would understand his position on the subject.

FURNITURE MUSEUM

The Octabon House at Gough and Union Streets in San Francisco houses a collection of historic furnishings from early California days.

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Secretary

TRUCKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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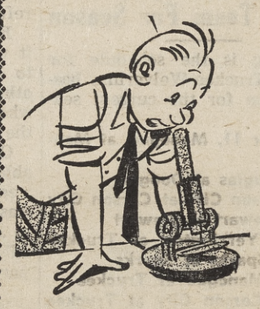

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Tahoe-Truckee School District News

DONNER TRAIL

We have been busy choosing our songs for the Christmas program. We have a committee of six children choosing the songs and we will have a short play and this week parts are being given out.

The boys are now working on their maps of the trails in the early United States. Two of the boys are starting to brace the back with plywood.

Our bacteria cultures are growing fine and they will show by a graphic example just what bacteria grow in our mouths.

Two of our older boys moved to Knights Landing last week.

Truckee Elementary

2nd Grade: We are happy to have Peggy Eisenhower back again.

We wrote thank you notes to grade six for inviting us to their Thanksgiving play.

3rd Grade: Robert Stone went with his father to Lake County last week on a pheasant hunt.

We were sorry to say goodbye to George Hendrix, who left for Sebastopol. Also to Dolores Antonvich who has enrolled at Carson City.

4th Grade: We have been working very hard to have all our work caught up by vacation time.

Charles Glenn went to Willows for Thanksgiving. Charles Berger went to Big Canyon, Nevada and Martin Johnson visited in Sacramento. Many of the rest of us had company visiting here.

Tahoe Lake School

2nd, 3rd and 4th Grades: Raymond Hill has transferred to the Kings Beach school and we will miss him but know he will like his new school.

The third graders are learing to carry in addition. This is a hard step but they are all very eager to learn.

We started practice for our Christmas play this week. All of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades will be in it. The name of the play is Santa and the Snowflakes.

4th, 5th and 6th Grades: We all enjoyed ou rThanksgiving turkey dinner on Wednesday last week. On Monday we shared our experitnces over the vacation with all reporting a fine time.

Kings Beach

Kindergarten and 1st Grade: Amy Arndt celebrated her 6th birthday with a party at school. We played games and Carl Brooks won the prize and Susan Graton the booby prize, Each child was given a balloon and then individual cup cakes, ice cream and a little basket of candy were served by Mrs. Frank Arndt and Mrs. Mel Throop.

2nd and 3rd Grades: Lynn Chatwin brought a set of historical plates for us to look at. One of the plates represented the first Thanksgiving and another the Landing of the Pilgrims. The platter had a picture of Betsy Ross showing the first Amercian flag. After talking about these plates we had a Thanksgiving story read to us by Mrs. Wing. Daryl Brooks brought his ecord album about Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs for us to play and enjoy.

Judy Draney left our classroom last week and she and her family are spending the winter in Reno.

Mrs. Wing is reading us Han Christian Anredson's Fairy Tales. This book Daryl Brooks is sharing with us.

Many children went away for Thanksgiving. Brad Thompson spent his in Los Angeles; Lynn Chatwin was in Salt Lake City with his grandmother; Raymond Hill visited in Richmond; Barbara Croxen spent her vacation in San Jose and Linda and Karen Critchley went to Oakland to be with their grandfather. Gary Wing and Mrs. Wing spent their vacation in northern Marin county; John Malley visiting in Lafayette and Margy Mandeville was with her grandmother inB erkeley for four days.

4th, 5th and 6th Grades: Our class is progressing well in arithmetic. The fourth group is starting division by 2 and 3. The fifth group have been learing the more difficult multiplication and division problems and the 6th graders are learing fraction and decimals.

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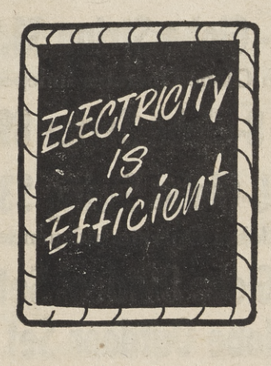

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NORTH TAHOE

by HARRY CHARRISON

....The Tahoe Twirlers gave an excellent exhibition of square dancing at the Wee Kirk 'o the Pines last Friday night. The feature dance appeared to be "Put your little foot right out" and those taking part were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Thompkins, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Chastain, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plunkett, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Levra, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rich and Kay Campbell. Scotty Campbell gave an exhibition of his own. A box lunch preceded the dancing.

Well, the Meredith Sipples are on their way again, this time their destination Glendale, where they will make their home for the winter. The Siples have many friends there and intend to have a real family gathering come Christmas.

Joy Plunkett tells us her mother and father were here for a day or so. They are Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Harried and we learn they returned to Stockton where they have purchased a coffee shop. We hope their venture will be successful.

No need for Christmas decorations in the Tahoe Vista area this week with the trees all hanging with icycles and snow covered and with the brilliant sun shining thru. It made them a sight to behold—just magnificant, that's all.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Abbott returned from a trip to Fontana where they had an exceptionally good time. The biggest thrill Asa had was a tour through the big Kaiser plant at Fontana. He said he would not have missed it for anything as it was really an eye-opener. They made a stop at Tipton on their way back to see Mr. and Mrs. Swensen. The latter was minister at the Community Church in Kings Beach a couple of years ago and they are very well pleased with his ministry at Tipton.

The members of the Community Church of Kings Beach have a new project, that of making a drive to make possible a tile floor for the church. The ladies have already made quite a contribution toward the fund and any help will be appreciated. For further information call Mrs. Campbell at 287J who is in charge of the fund raising.

Everett Campbell has had quite a siege of the flu, having been abed for a while, but by all accounts he is up and around.

Had a Tahoe City man in court by the name of John Raymond Palham on a complaint of petty theft and disturbing the peace. After a plea of not guilty, December 15th was the date set for trial. Palham being unable to raise bail was taken to Auburn by Constable Dick Lavery where he will remain till the trial.

Lots of credit is due our men on the school buses, Mel Throop and Carl Christiansen, both of Kings Beach. The excellent and efficient manner in which they navigate these big buses on the treacherous roads around the lake is very commendable.

The bazaar held by the Women's Club of North Tahoe last week was a great success. A substantial part of the funds collected will go toward the Christmas party for the kiddies to be held at the school house at Kings Beach on Saturday, December 19th. Gifts will be distributed at 2 P. M. and after that all will be taken to Tom Lucas' Brockway Theater where he will put on a special show appropriate for the occasion. This is greatly appreciated owing to the fact that the theater had been closed for the season and naturally is quite a chore to reopen. The party is put on by all organizations in the area and as such is sponsored by the Council of North Tahoe Organizaitons of which Walter Mandeville is president. For further particulars call Walter at Crystal Bay 305W.

From the proceeds of the dinner held by the North Tahoe Community Club six brand new tables were presented to the North Tahoe Gun Club and a donation will also be made to the Christmas party for the kiddies of this area. Alice Sorensen was chairman of the event.

Sophia Levra informs me that the Tahoe Twirlers meet every Saturday night in the Carpenters Hall at Kings Beach from 8 to 9 Instructions will be given to any newcomer or to those that are not familiar with the new dances. The Twirlers are doing quite a lot of traveling to nearby towns such as Reno, Virginia City and other spots.

Young Dickie Rood has a torn ligament in one leg, caused when he started off on his first basketball game at the school. He is still able to make school with his leg in a cast.

Nina Sorensen has been quite sick with a kidney ailment but is now recovering nicely.

The John Levras are remodeling their home on Fox Street. Sophia says hurry and get done, Johnny, this muddle is driving me nuts.

If you have any friends that you thing would like to receive this newspaper every week, just call me and I will do the rest.

The county road men are endeavoring to keep the Truckee shortcut open and are doing a good job. Everyone at North Tahoe is praying for the time when it will be a year around road. It is a 25 mile saving to Kings Beachers.

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Tahoe Ski Club Will Hold Benefit Party Tomorrow Night at 8

TAHOE CITY — The Tahoe Ski Club will hold a social affair tomorrow night, December 11, at the Pfeiffer House, beginning at 8 o'clock. The proceeds from the event will go toward swelling the fund for junior skiers. The public is cordially invited to attend.

TAHOE CHAMBER MEETS TOMORROW

TAHOE CITY—The Tahoe Chamber of Commerce board of directors will meet at Cal Vada Lodge Friday, December 11 at 7 P. M.

A Dutch treat dinner will precede the business session. All interested persons are invited to be present.

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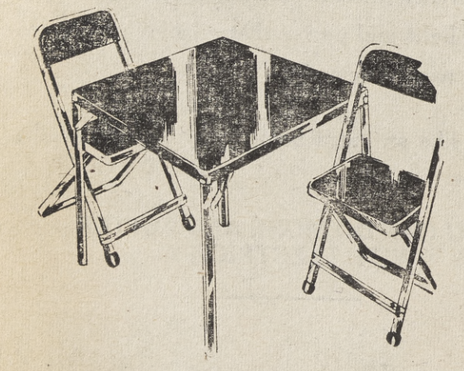

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NOTICE OF HEARING ON THE PROPOSED ESTABLISHMENT OF A COUNTY SERVICE AREA

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of November, 1953, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, did adopt the following resolution of intention to establish a county service area in the unincorporated territory of the County of Nevada, to-wit:

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION TO ESTABLISH COUNTY SERVICE AREA

WHEREAS, on the 18th day of November, 1953, a petition was filed with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, requesting the institution of proceedings for the establishment of a county service area in that certain unincorporated territory of the County of Nevada, hereinafter more particularly described; and

WHEREAS, said petition requested the Board of Supervisors to institute the proceedings to establish a county service area in the said territory pursuant to Chapter 2.2, Part 2, Division 2 of Title 3 of the Government Code; and

WHEREAS, said petition described the boundaries of the territory which is proposed for inclusion in the said area and as hereinafter more particularly described; and

WHEREAS, said petition stated the type of extended county services to be provided within the area, namely, for the purpose of financing road construction, repair and maintenance within said area; and

WHEREAS, said petition was signed by not less than ten per cent (10%) of the registered voters residing within the said territory proposed to be included within the area as certified by the county clerk.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the said petition hereinabove referred to is signed by the requisite number of registered voters residing within the territory proposed to be included within the said area.

2. That a county service area is proposed to be established under the terms of Chapter 2.2, Part 2, Division 2 of Title 3 of the Government Code in the unincorporated area of said county of Nevada, and that the boundaries of the territory proposed for inclusion in the said area are described as follows:

That certain real property situate in the County of Nevada, State of California, described as follows:

All that portion of the northwest quarter (N.W.¼) of Section 16, Township 17 North, Range 16 East, M.D.B.&M., described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the east line of the northwest quarter (N.W.¼) from which the north one-quarter (N.¼) section corner of said Section 16 bears North 0° 03′ East 235.00 feet; thence North 89° 40′ West, 1167.68 feet; thence South 0° 20′ West 300.00 feet; thence North 89° 40′ West 140.00 feet; thence South 0° 20′ West 100.00 feet; thence South 89° 40′ East 140.00 feet; thence South 0° 20′ West 350.00 feet; thence North 89° 40′ West 165.00 feet; thence South 0° 20′ West 250.00 feet to a point in the northerly line of State Highway Number 40; thence South 89° 40′ East 1337.67 feet along northerly line of said State Highway Number 40 to a point in the east line of the northwest quarter (N.W.¼) of Section 16; thence North 0° 03′ East 1000.00 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 28.12 acres.

3. That the name proposed for the said area is:

"County Service Area No. 1."

4. That the type of extended county services proposed to be provided within the said area pursuant to the said chapter is the financing of road construction, repair and maintenance and that a tax suggested to pay for all such services which are furnished on an extended basis will be annually levied upon all taxable property within such area.

5. That Wednesday, the 23rd day of December, 1953, at the chambers of the Board of Supervisors at the Court House, Nevada City, California, at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M., are hereby fixed as the time and place for the holding of a public hearing on the establishment of the said area.

ADOPTED; November 18, 1953.

AYES: Supervisors: Curtis R. Clark, John L. Frank, J. C. Coughlan, Guy N. Robinson, Henry G. Loehr.

NOES: Supervisors: None.

ABSENT: Supervisors: None.

HENRY G. LOEHR
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors.

ATTEST: R. E. DEEBLE
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Notice is hereby further given that Wednesday, the 23rd day of December, 1953, at the chambers of the Board of Supervisors, at the Court House, Nevada City, California, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day has been fixed as the time and place for a public hearing on the establishment of the said county service area.

Notice is hereby further given that at said hearing the testimony of all interested persons or taxpayers for or against the establishment of said area, the extent of the area, or the furnishing of the specified types of extended services will be heard. At the said hearing protests against the establishment of the area, the extent of the area or the furnishing of the specified types of services in the area may be made orally or in writing by any interested persons or taxpayers. Provided, that any protest pertaining to the regularity or sufficiency of said proceedings must be in writing and must clearly set forth the irregularities and defects to which objection is made. All written protests must be filed with the clerk of the Board of Supervisors on or before the time herein fixed for the said hearing.

Dated: November 18, 1953.

R. E. DEEBLE
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors. d10

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNNTY OF NEVADA

GEORGE PACE JR., Plaintiff, Vs. INDEPENDANT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS, DONNER LODGE NO. 162; MABEL TOWOMEY; T. TERESA FIGLIPELI; THERRESSA FILLIPALLI; ANGELO DONATI; BARNEY ARAISI; VICTTOR COZZALIO and "also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the Complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership, or cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto." Defendants.

SUMMONS

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, and the complaint filed in the Office of the County clerk of said County.

LEO J. TODD and CROFFORD W. BRIDGES, Attorneys for the Plaintiff, Grass Valley, California.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO:

INDEPENDANT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS, DONNER LODGE NO. 162; MABEL TOWOMEY; T. TERESA FIGLIPELI; THERRESSA FILLIPALLI; ANGELO DONATI; BARNEY ARAISI; VICTTOR COZZALIO and "also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the Complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership, or cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto." Defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action entitled as above, brought against you by the above named Plaintiff, in the Superior Court of the County of Nevada, State of California and to answer the Complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within said County, if served elsewhere within 30 days..

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required that the Plaintiff will take judgement for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint as arising upon contract or they will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

The object of this action is to determine all and every claim, right, title, estate, lien or interest of the said Defendants, and each of them, in and to the real property described as follows to-wit:

All that certain realty situate in the County of Nevada, State of California, particularly described as follows:

The Westerly 12 feet of Lot 26, Lot 27, Lot 28, and the Easterly 16 feet of Lot 29, River Front Block West of Bridge Street, as per the Official map or plat of said Town of Truckee, County of Nevada. State of California.

And it is the further object of this action to have it adjudged and decreed that Plaintiff by himself and by his predecessors in interest for more than twenty years continusouly next immediately preceeding the filing of the complaint in this action, has been and now are in the actual, exclusive, open, notorious and adverse possession of said real property, claiming to own the same in fee against the Defendants herein named, and against the whole world, and have paid all taxes of every kind or nature levied or assessed against the said real property during the period of five years next preceeding the filing of the complaint in this action and that Plaintiff is the owner of said real property and the whole thereof, and the said Defendants have not, nor has any of them, or any other person whatever, except the Plaintiff, any right, title, estate, lien or interest in, to, or against said lands whatever.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Superior Court this 9th day of November, 1953. R. E. DEEBLE
(d10) Clerk
By: ..... Deputy Clerk

Minute Ministry

by REV. SIDNEY WINSTON
Pastor, Com. Methodist Churches
Truckee and Kings Beach

"Let's quit wasting God's Time!" This theme was suggested to me some time ago, in a magazine, Presbyterian Life. It seems to me that they made film called Wings to the Word about Roger Perkins and his missionary work in Brazil.

For nearly 200 years the Gospel had been carried hinderland on mule's back, requiring 40 days to reach some congregations. A few days in a village, weeks to the next one and so on, and two years to make the complete trip. A mule "creature breeds confidence—but kills time."

When Bernardo, the believer, died of a ruptured appendix, Roger Perkins prayed for —"the work; for his own self control, for patience, for guidance and for faith." God's answer was a plane; with a plane Bernardo's life could have been saved. Other things, improtant to the mission effort, demanded attention, and it was only after two years of pentioning and qualifying that his patience and explanation won out. Among one of the first services rendered was to the wife of Bernardo, the believer. They went in the night; the villagers outlined the landing field wit htheir lanterns, and soon the plane was headed back to the hospital where the widow convalesced safely.

The question arises, are we not wasting God's time when we withhold the spirit of appreciation, cooperation and generocity that our presence and gifts might better be used in the saving of souls and human lives? Let's quit wasting. God's time!

TWO SUITS ARE FILED AS RESULT OF LOCAL CRASH

NEVADA CITY— Two complaints have been filed in the Nevada County Superior Court for damages as the result of highway accidents near Truckee, three days apart.

Ruth Evelyn Westling has filed a damage complaint against the American Buslines, Inc., and Arthur Larsen, et al, asking over $125,000 for injuries she received when the bus in which the plaintiff was a passenger went over an embankment and overturned.

The accident occurred May 26, 1953 two miles east of Truckee.

The complaint also asks judgment for medical expenses and for loss of salary and income when they are determined.

The other complaint by George and Betty Conti against William Stein, et al, arises for an automobile collision on the Donner Summit grade eight miles west of Truckee on May 23, 1953.

The plaintiffs are asking $10,000 damages and medical expenses for Mrs. Conti and $692.60 damages for the car and $210 for the loss of the car for 30 days.

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The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Community Methodist Church will hold a sale of candy and gifts in Duane Freeman's Do-Nut Shop on Friday, December 11 at 10 A.M.

Lake Guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Anderson of Tahoe Vista had as their weekend guests their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Anderson and family of Oakland and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Krause of San Lorenzo.

Cub Leaders to Meet—

A planning meeting for leaders of Cub Scout Dens 1, 2, 3 and 4 will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darryl McGihon at 7:30 P. M. on Tuesday, December 15.

Son Home —

Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Kase went to San Francisco and returned last week with their son, Jeffery, who had been staying with his aunt while the family settled in their new home here.

Currans Celebrate—

Mr. and Mrs. William Curran observed their wedding anniversary on Tuesday of this week.

Anniversary Today—

The anniversary of their wedding is being observed today by Mr. and Mrs. John T. Rablin.

Has Birthday—

Kary, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kielhofer, was the center of attention on his birthday, Saturday, December 5th when he received gifts from friends and members of his family, including his great-grandmother, Mrs. Dan Smith.

Trio Return—

Mrs. M. E. Brown, Mrs. James Cooper and Mrs. Wayne Phillippi returned Saturday after a visit of several days in Sacramento.

At Lake—

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lindauer of San Francisco have been visiting their home at Donner Lake.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

A Case of "Moostaken" Identity

Slim Smith never had a chance to use his moose call until a trip north this year. Visited him yesterday to see what he'd bagged.

"First day out," he told me, "I picked up a trail. I sounded the call and waited. Then *I* heard a moose call. Sure enough, something came crashing through the brush. But it was another guy with his moose call. Boy, did I get my finger off the trigger in a hurry!

"My last day there I picked up another trail. This time I got me a real moose. But you can bet I took a good look before I did any shooting!"

From where I sit, we could all learn a little from Slim's experience. Most of us are guilty sometime or other of being too quick on the trigger. Like the fellow who would deny me the right to an occasional glass of beer with my dinner. I say that kind of "aim" is way off!

Joe Marsh

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PLAYDAY ENJOYED BY GIRLS DURING LOCAL GATHERING

" Little Red Riding Hood, "Snow White", Rapunzel", "Cinderella", "Gretel", "Alice in Wonderland", "Sleeping Beauty", and "Goldilocks" took over the Tahoe-Truckee High School gymnasium last Friday afternoon.

Using these fairy tale characters for its theme, the Girls' Athletic Association held a playday with the girls from the South Tahoe High School. Starting with registrations at 2 P.M., the program included relays and mizers, shuffleboard, ping-pong and volleyball. In these events the "Cinderella team was the winner.

At 4 P. M., the girls' basketball team of the TNT played its first game of the year with the girls from South Tahoe, the locals taking an early lead and out in front 35 to 19 when the game ended.

The girls then enjoyed a banquet and entertainment consisting of several skits and pantomines which, in the vernacular of the high school students was "real crazy."

The next game on the schedule for the girls' team will be with Douglas on January 8th. The game will be played there at 6:30 P.M.

Former Local Matron Feted at Reno Affair

Mrs. Jack Ellis and Mrs. William Hammersmith entertained in the Reno home of the latter on December 4 in honor of Mrs. Kenneth Grayson, formerly of Truckee.

A shower of gifts was opened by the feted guest and later games were played. The refreshment tables were decorated in peach and green, centered with bouquets of carnations and roses.

Eighteen guests were invited. Local matrons who attended the party included Mesdames Paul Archer, Karl Kielhofer, Al Wakefield, Chester Burns, Kenneth Hedlund, Kenneth Foster and Cliff Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Buehler observed their wedding date on Sunday, December 6th.

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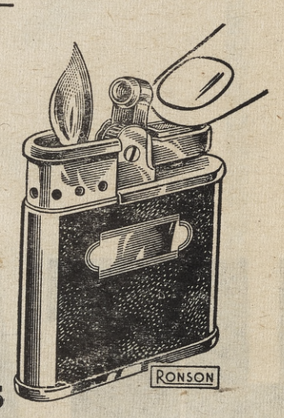

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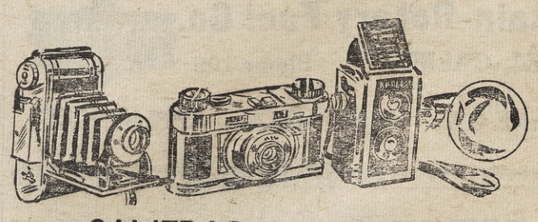

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Tarzan

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A STRANGE BAND OF EGYPTIANS INVADED, PLUNDERED THE CONGO JUNGLES -- AND NOW HEROT, THE LEADER SURPRISED TARZAN OF THE APES!

THE APE-MAN SENSED DANGER AND LEAPED TOWARD THE EGYPTIAN--

SOON OTHERS APPEARED TO RESCUE HIM FROM THE FURY OF THE BRONZED GIANT.

TARZAN WAS TIED ALONG WITH MANY NATIVE PRISONERS, AND THE PROCESSION MOVED TOWARD THE ANCHORED RIVER BOATS.

"THE OARSMEN WILL BE RELIEVED," ORDERED HEROT. "PLACE THE NEW SLAVES ON DUTY!"

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TARZAN ROWED WITH THE OTHERS TOWARD THE HIDDEN EMPIRE. AGONIZING WORK, BUT NOT AS DANGEROUS AS THE PERILS AHEAD!

12-12-1953

ABBIE an' SLATS by RAEBURN VAN BUREN

DADDY!! WHAT AWFUL THING (GASP) ARE YOU DRESSED UP FOR?

THE ONLY (GROAN) WAY I CAN QUALIFY FOR THE "ONLY ONCE SOCIETY" IS TO PERFORM SOME DARING OR UNUSUAL FEAT THAT'S BEEN DONE ONLY ONCE!!

NO MAN HAS GONE OVER SURE DEATH FALLS AND LIVED TO TELL THE TALE. IF I SUCCEED, I'LL BE THE ONLY ONE THAT EVER DID-AND THEY GOTTA ACCEPT ME IN THE CLUB!

JASPER-R HAGSTONE IS (SHUDDER) GOING OVER-R SUR-RE DEATH FALLS IN A BARREL T'QUALIFY FOR-R THE ONLY ONCE SOCIETY!! THER-RE'S A DESPER-RATE MON!!

ONLY ONCE SOCIETY ADMISSIONS COMMITTEE

ANYBODY SEEN BATHLESS?

GOOD LUCK, JASPER-R...AYE, AND YER GOIN' T'BE NEEDIN' PLENTY!

IF THAT BLATHERING IDIOT, GROGGINS, CAN QUALIFY, SO CAN A HAGSTONE!

THERE HE GOES!!

I (SPUTTER!) MADE IT!! I'M (CHOKE!) THE ONLY MAN TO GO OVER THE FALLS AND LIVE TO TELL THE TALE!!

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NOT SO FAST, BUSTER, NOT SO FAST!!

BATHLESS GROGGINS!!

FANCY MEETIN' YOU HERE, LARGE, FAT, AN' UNTIDY!

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NOW YOU'VE GONE AND RUINED EVERY-THING!!

AYE, JASPER-R, BECAUSE OF GR-ROGGINS, YOU'R-RE NOT THE ONLY ONE THAT'S GONE OVER SURE DEATH FALLS AND LIVED T' TELL THE TALE!

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SO AM I, WILLIE DEAR-

I'M GLAD WE WERE ABLE TO TAKE THE

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THAT'S ALL---WE'RE THROUGH PLAYING

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I'VE ENJOYED MINDING YOU FOR FLOSSIE BUT I MUST TAKE YOU HOME

HEY, COME ON

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COME ON--- WHAT'S THE MATTER?

SNAP

I KNOW---THE SNOW MAKES HIS FEET COLD

I CAN'T CARRY HIM ALL THE WAY---WHAT'LL I DO?

HM-M

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THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS®

WE'VE GOT TO STOP 'EM BEFORE THEY ANNIHILATE EACH OTHER, MAMA

DER BOYS SAY DERE'S A FIGHT IN DER PEACE CLUB

HE'S DOWN HE'S UP

DOWN UP

DOWN UP

LUNKERS! CUT OUDT DOT FIGHTING! YOU HEAR!! OPEN UP

GRADE A

YOU HOID ME— MEN ONLY!

BUT DER LADIES BUSTED UP OUR MINUTE OF-PEACE CLUB!

SO WOT-

LADIES DON'T CLIMB TREES! UPSY-DAISY, GENTLEMEN

NOT BAD, EH? LEAVE IT TO KING BONGO

OH, MY! HAM, SISSAGE UND REFRESHINGS

GRADE A

I DIDN'T KNOW YOU HAD IT IN YOU, MACHESTY!

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NO KIDS OR LADIES ALLOWED, DEY SAID, BUT DEY DIDN'T MENTION SPOT CATS

ME-OWER

FFZZZ

G-R-R'

SST

UND ALSO DEY NEFFER MENTION PEACE VHILE DEY VALLOP US!

AHOY, CHENTS! A COUPLE NEW MEMBERS TO SAMPLE DER LUNCH

SNEFF

VOT DER-?

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GROWER ME-OWER

FFZZZ

GR-R-R-R

FFZZZ

HAPPY LANDING, FELLERS

HEFFENS, DER MINUTE-OF-PEACE CLUB ISS FIGHTING AGAIN

HYPOCRITES

HA, YOU AIN'T SEEN NOT'N YET

WE'VE JUST BEGUN TO FIGHT

VARE ISS DER VEASELS?

Archie
BY BOB MONTANA
IS GEEPSY MAGIC EARRING! WILL ATTRACT LOVER'S KISS LIKE A MAGNET!
BUT I DON'T WANT ARCHIE TO KISS ME ON THE EARRING!
MADAME SMOG
TEA LEAVES READ
HELP WITH INCOME TAX
YOU WARE TWO EARRINGS! THE MAGIC ATTRACTION IS EQUALLY STRONG TOWARDS BOTH! SO, HE LANDS SOM-WARE IN BETWEEN!
BUT THAT MIGHT BE ON THE END OF MY NOSE!
SO YOU WARE HIGH HEEELZ!
MAGIC EARRINGS? AND THEY'RE SUPPOSED TO DRAW ARCHIE'S LIPS TO THEM?
YES!...LIKE MAGNETS... AND HE'LL LAND SOMEWHERE IN BETWEEN!
ARCHIE! DON'T YOU THINK MY EARRINGS ARE---- ---ATTRACTIVE?
THEY ATTRACT ATTENTION TO YOUR BIG EARS!
WHY, THANK YOU FOR THE CUTE EARRINGS, BETTY! I'LL WEAR THEM!
SMACK!
GIVE ME BACK MY EARRINGS!
OW! LEAVE MY EARS!
YOU DON'T SAY! AND BETTY BELIEVES IT?------I'LL PLAY ALONG FOR A GAG!
BETTY! I FEEL A STRANGE ATTRACTION.....
AS IF I'M BEING IRRESISTIBLY DRAWN TOWARD YOU!
SMACK!
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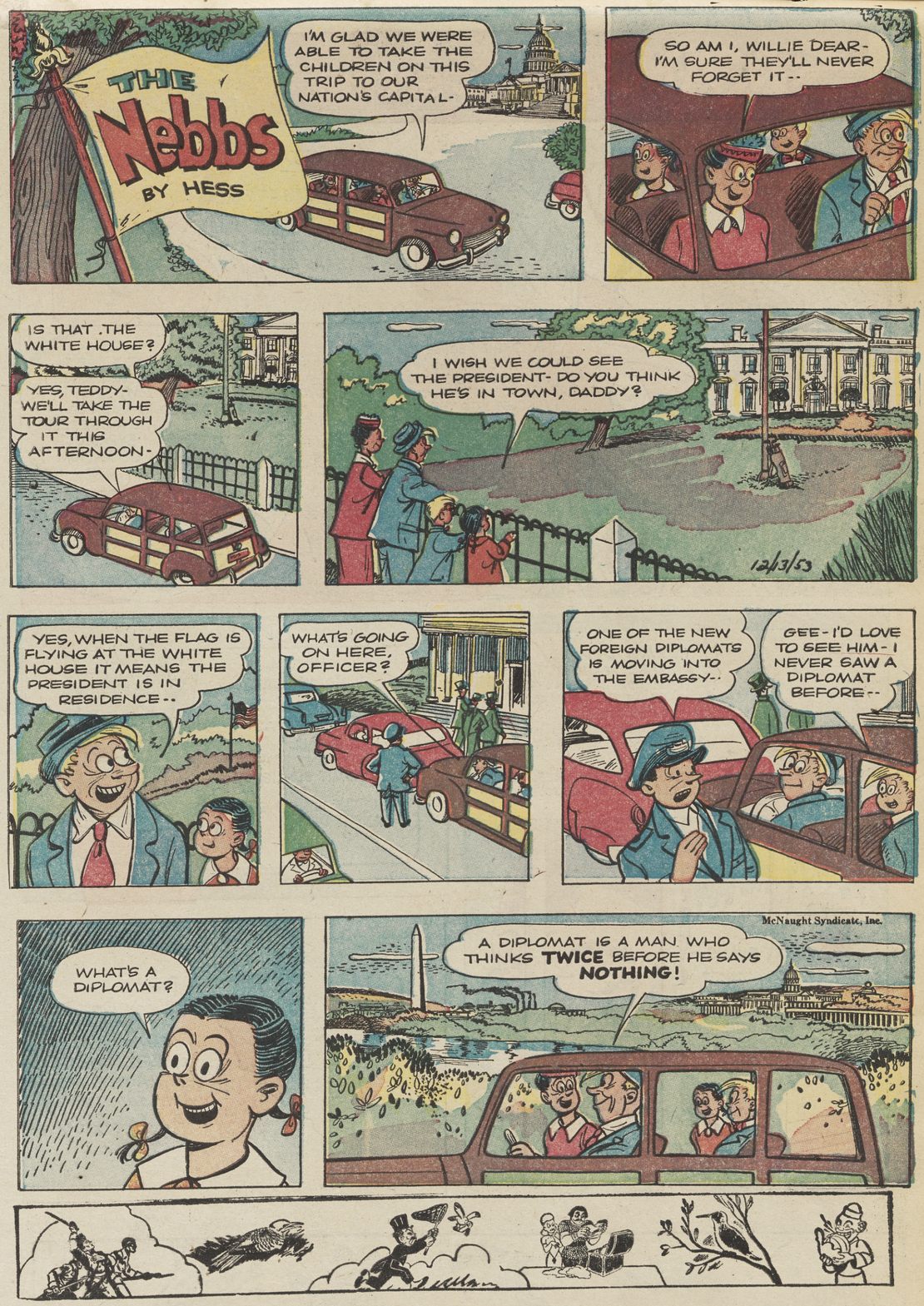
THE Nebbs
BY HESS
I'M GLAD WE WERE ABLE TO TAKE THE CHILDREN ON THIS TRIP TO OUR NATION'S CAPITAL-
SO AM I, WILLIE DEAR- I'M SURE THEY'LL NEVER FORGET IT--
IS THAT THE WHITE HOUSE?
YES, TEDDY- WE'LL TAKE THE TOUR THROUGH IT THIS AFTERNOON-
I WISH WE COULD SEE THE PRESIDENT- DO YOU THINK HE'S IN TOWN, DADDY?
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YES, WHEN THE FLAG IS FLYING AT THE WHITE HOUSE IT MEANS THE PRESIDENT IS IN RESIDENCE--
WHAT'S GOING ON HERE, OFFICER?
ONE OF THE NEW FOREIGN DIPLOMATS IS MOVING INTO THE EMBASSY--
GEE-I'D LOVE TO SEE HIM-I NEVER SAW A DIPLOMAT BEFORE--
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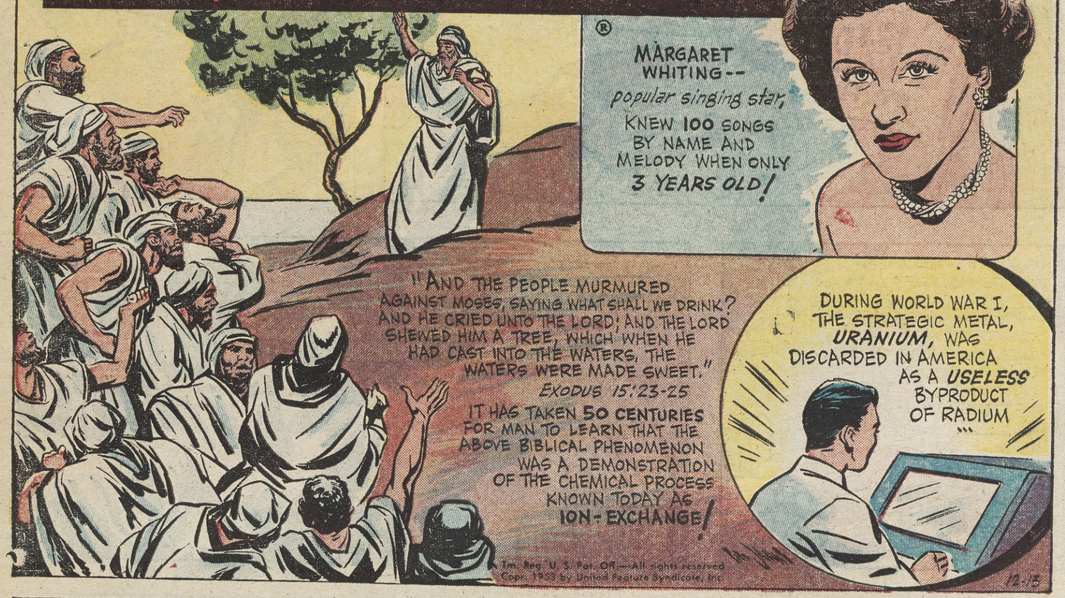
WHAT'S A DIPLOMAT?
A DIPLOMAT IS A MAN WHO THINKS TWICE BEFORE HE SAYS NOTHING!

STRANGE as it seems — by ELSIE HIX


MARGARET WHITING--
popular singing star,
KNEW 100 SONGS BY NAME AND MELODY WHEN ONLY 3 YEARS OLD!
"AND THE PEOPLE MURMURED AGAINST MOSES, SAYING WHAT SHALL WE DRINK? AND HE CRIED UNTO THE LORD; AND THE LORD SHEWED HIM A TREE, WHICH WHEN HE HAD CAST INTO THE WATERS, THE WATERS WERE MADE SWEET." EXODUS 15:23-25
IT HAS TAKEN 50 CENTURIES FOR MAN TO LEARN THAT THE ABOVE BIBLICAL PHENOMENON WAS A DEMONSTRATION OF THE CHEMICAL PROCESS KNOWN TODAY AS ION-EXCHANGE!
DURING WORLD WAR I, THE STRATEGIC METAL, URANIUM, WAS DISCARDED IN AMERICA AS A USELESS BYPRODUCT OF RADIUM
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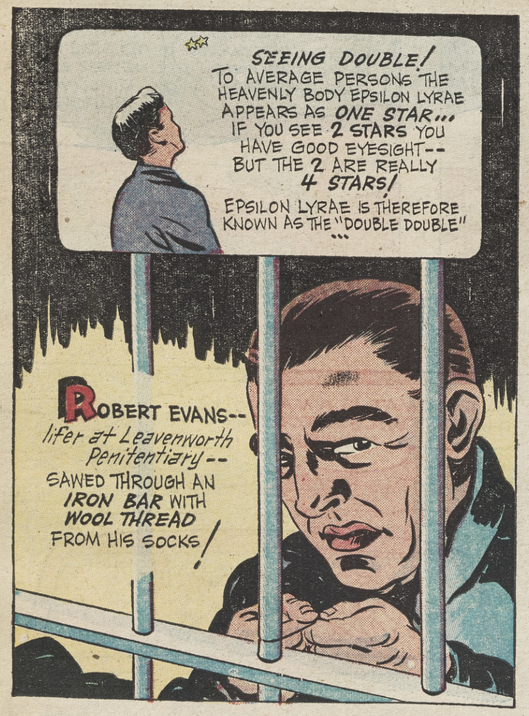
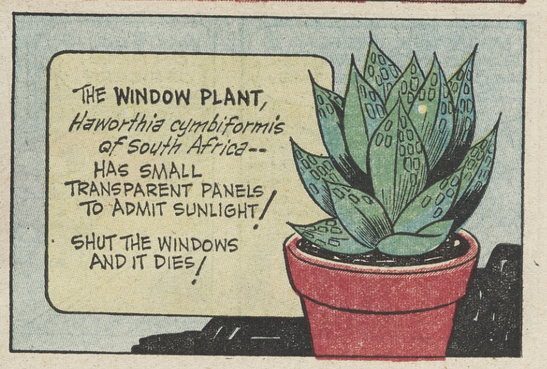
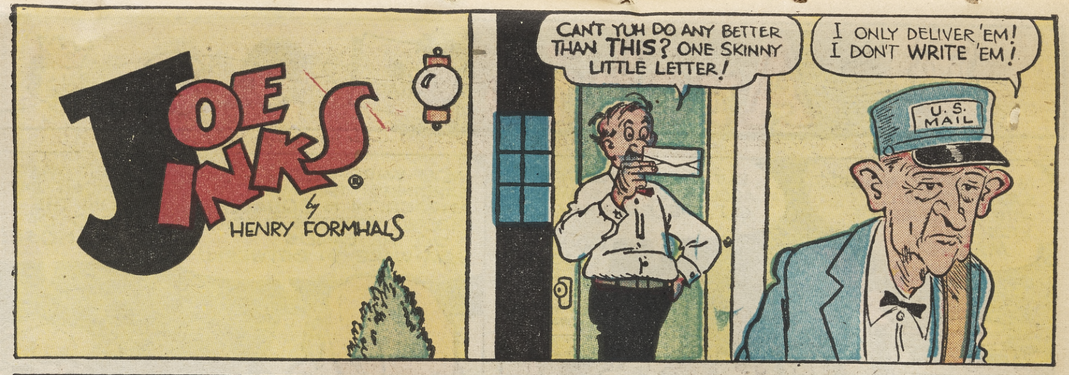
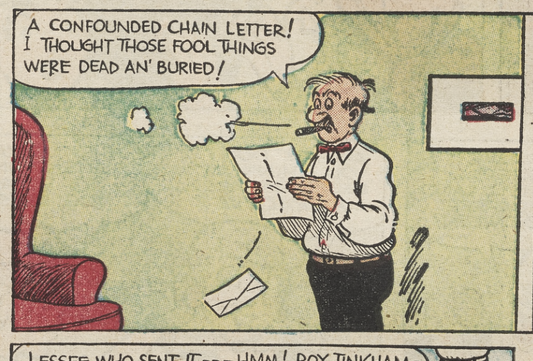

SEEING DOUBLE!
TO AVERAGE PERSONS THE HEAVENLY BODY EPSILON LYRAE APPEARS AS ONE STAR... IF YOU SEE 2 STARS YOU HAVE GOOD EYESIGHT-- BUT THE 2 ARE REALLY 4 STARS!
EPSILON LYRAE IS THEREFORE KNOWN AS THE "DOUBLE DOUBLE"
ROBERT EVANS--
lifer at Leavenworth Penitentiary--
SAWED THROUGH AN IRON BAR WITH WOOL THREAD FROM HIS SOCKS!

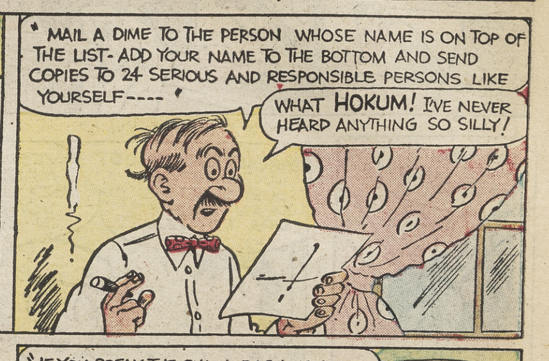

THE WINDOW PLANT,
Haworthia cymbiformis of South Africa--
HAS SMALL TRANSPARENT PANELS TO ADMIT SUNLIGHT!
SHUT THE WINDOWS AND IT DIES!

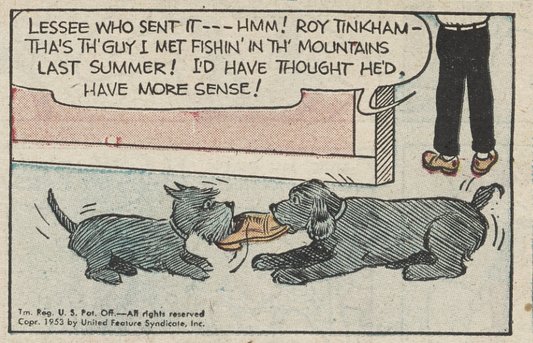
JOE JINKS

HENRY FORMHALS






"MAIL A DIME TO THE PERSON WHOSE NAME IS ON TOP OF THE LIST- ADD YOUR NAME TO THE BOTTOM AND SEND COPIES TO 24 SERIOUS AND RESPONSIBLE PERSONS LIKE YOURSELF----"
WHAT HOKUM! I'VE NEVER HEARD ANYTHING SO SILLY!


LESSEE WHO SENT IT--- HMM! ROY TINKHAM- THA'S TH' GUY I MET FISHIN' IN TH' MOUNTAINS LAST SUMMER! I'D HAVE THOUGHT HE'D HAVE MORE SENSE!
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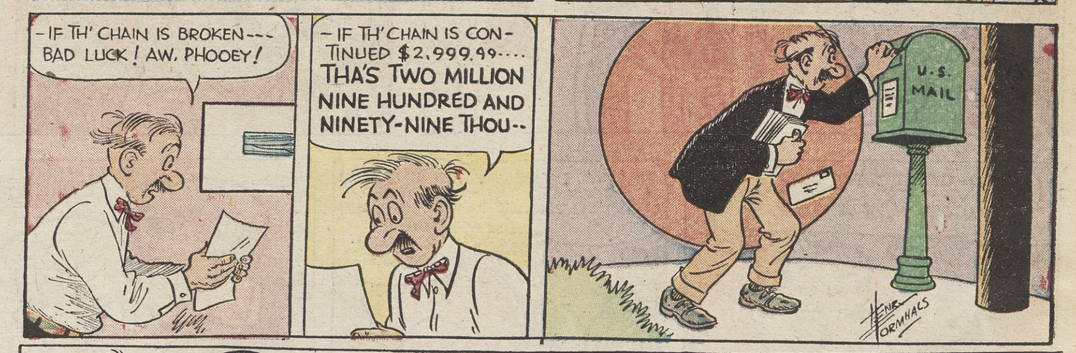
-IF TH' CHAIN IS BROKEN--- BAD LUCK! AW, PHOOEY!
-IF TH' CHAIN IS CONTINUED $2,999,99---- THA'S TWO MILLION NINE HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE THOU--
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